IN THE CLAIMS:

Please substitute claims 1-20 with the following:

1. (Currently Amended) A method of reconciling changes made to a first file tree and a second file tree comprising:

receiving a first change log corresponding to said first file tree and a second change log corresponding to said second file tree;

determining a first set of changes to make to said first file tree using said second change log;

determining a second set of changes to make to said second file tree using said first change log;

reconciling said first and said second file trees using said first and said second set of said change logs; ~~and~~

detecting one or more changes in said first set that conflict with said second set; and

determining whether reconciling said first and said second file trees creates an unresolvable loop in at least one of said first and said second file trees.

2. (Canceled)

3. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1 wherein detecting one or more changes that conflict comprises:
generating said conflict list.

4. (Original) The method of claim 1 wherein said first file tree resides on a client.

5. (Original) The method of claim 1 wherein said second file tree resides on a server.

6. (Currently Amended) An article of manufacture comprising:

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a computer usable medium having computer readable program code embodied therein for reconciling changes made to a first file tree and second file tree, said computer readable program code in said article of manufacture comprising:

computer readable program code configured to cause said computer to receive a first change log corresponding to said first file tree and a second change log corresponding to said second file tree;

computer readable program code configured to cause said computer to determine a first set of changes to make to said first file tree using said second change log;

computer readable program code configured to cause said computer to determine a second set of changes to make to said second file tree using said first change log;

computer readable program code configured to cause said computer to reconcile said first file tree and said second file tree using said first and said second set of change logs; ~~and~~

computer readable program code configured to cause said computer to detect one or more changes in said first set that conflict with said second set; and

computer readable program code configured to cause said computer to determine whether reconciling said first and said second file trees creates an unresolvable loop in at least one of said first and said second file trees.

7. (Canceled)

8. (Previously Presented) The article of manufacture of claim 6 further comprising:
computer readable program code configured to cause said computer to generate a conflict list.

9. (Original) The article of manufacture of claim 6 wherein said first file tree resides on a client.

10. (Original) The article of manufacture of claim 6 wherein said second file tree resides on a server.

11. (Currently Amended) A computer program product comprising:

a computer usable medium having computer readable program code embodied therein configured to reconcile changes made to a first and a second file tree, said computer program product comprising:

computer readable code configured to cause a computer to receive a first change log corresponding to a first file tree and a second change log corresponding to a second file tree;

computer readable code configured to cause a computer to determine a first set of changes to make to said first file tree using said second change log;

computer readable code configured to cause a computer to determine a second set of changes to make to said second file tree using said first change log;

computer readable code configured to cause a computer to reconcile said first and said second file trees using said first and said second set of change logs; and

computer readable code configured to cause a computer to detect one or more changes in said first set that conflict with said second set; and

computer readable code configured to cause a computer to determine whether reconciling said first and said second file trees creates an unresolvable loop in at least one of said first and said second file trees.

12. (Canceled)

13. (Previously Presented) The computer program product of claim 11 further comprising:

computer readable code configured to generate a conflict list.

14. (Previously Presented) The computer program product of claim 11 wherein said first file tree resides on a client.

15. (Previously Presented) The computer program product of claim 11 wherein said second file tree resides on a server.

16. (Currently Amended) A system for reconciling changes made to a first and a second file tree comprising:

a memory having a program that receives a first change log corresponding to a first file tree and a second change log corresponding to a second file tree,

determines a first set of changes to make to said first file tree using said second change log,

determines a second set of changes to make to said second file tree using said first change log,

reconciles said first and said second file trees using said first and said second set of change logs, ~~and~~

detects one or more changes in said first set that conflict with said second set, and

determines whether reconciling said first and said second file trees creates an unresolvable loop in at least one of said first and said second file trees; and

a processor for running the program.

17. (Canceled)

18. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 16 wherein detecting one or more changes that conflict comprises:

generating said conflict list.

19. (Original) The system of claim 16 wherein said first file tree resides on a client.

20. (Original) The system of claim 16 wherein said second file tree resides on a server.